#### **Olive View-UCLA Medical Center**

# Clinical Nurse Specialist

(Medical Nursing Services/Step Down/Intensive Care Units)

Seeking a Qualified Registered Nurse for the **Medical Nursing Service/Step down/ICU Units.** To provide enhanced health care delivery to a specific patient population by evaluating nursing practices, developing methodologies, implementing standards of care, providing consultative services and assessing and addressing patient and staff education needs.

Under the general direction of the Clinical Nursing Director.

## Essential Job Functions:

- Assess, plan, develop, implement and evaluate the total health care of a specific patient population.
- Use the nursing process drawing upon extensive knowledge, experience and research to identify problem situations or issues in patient care.
- Analyze, interpret, advise and consult with all health care professionals to provide high quality, contemporary care.
- Provide consultation and guidance to all levels of nursing staff pertinent to patient care problems.
- Participate in Nursing and Hospital committees regarding patient care.
- Provide education to health care providers.
- Disseminates and utilizes Nursing research findings.
- Assess and monitor staff compliance with Standards of Care, Standards of Practice, Title22, and JCAHO Standards.

## Qualifications:

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- Strong organizational and communication skills.
- Ability to work independently.
- Ability to handle multiple assignments simultaneously.

## Minimum Requirements:

- A license to practice as a Registered Nurse and a Certificate indicating the qualification to use the title of Clinical Nurse Specialist, both issued by the California Board of Nursing Education and Nursing Registration
- Be current and reachable on the Los Angeles DHS Clinical Nurse Specialist certification list
- A Master's degree from an accredited college or university in Nursing with emphasis in an area of specialty listed.
- Four years of recent clinical nursing experience two of which must have been in the area of specialty.

Interested applicants, please submit your letter of interest, resume, last two years performance evaluations and time records to:

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